

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. – 3. (Canceled)

4. (Currently Amended) A core mold for foam-molding manufactured by ~~the method as set forth in Claim 1~~, a method for manufacturing a core mold for foam-molding provided with a concavo-convex pattern on its mold surface for forming a design pattern on the surface of a foam-molded article, comprising the steps of:

forming a reverse concavo-convex pattern that is reverse of said concavo-convex pattern, on the surface of a core mold making model made of a conductive material having the same shape as said mold surface; and

transferring said reverse concavo-convex pattern by electric discharge machining to said mold surface, so as to form said concavo-convex pattern; wherein said core mold comprising a steam path disposed through a convex portion of said concavo-convex pattern.

5. (Currently Amended) ~~The~~ a core mold for foam-molding comprising a plurality of adjoining components, wherein ~~a core mold for foam-molding manufactured by the method as set forth in Claim 1 and/or the core mold for foam-molding as set forth in Claim 4~~ are is employed as one of said components.

6. (original) The core mold for foam-molding as set forth in Claim 5, further comprising a steam path disposed at a joint of said components.